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Applicant's response of 11/25/08 is found to be non-responsive because it is not addressing the restriction/election requirement in totality. The election by applicant states that applicant has elected to prosecute claims 1-17,19,20,21,22, and 23 of Group I. Applicant has not addressed the fact that there are species claims within this group as was addressed on page 4 of the restriction/election requirement. Group I is considered to have different species claimed. Applicant has to address what species within group I is elected to be prosecuted for the election to be complete and fully responsive.

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Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Dennis Ruhl whose telephone number is 571-272-6808. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday through Friday.

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